

FORM PTO-1449

A circular stamp with the text "OIPE" at the top, "PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE" at the bottom, and "12/2001" in the center. A large blacked-out circular area is in the middle of the stamp.

\*EXAMINER: Initial if citation considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609; Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.